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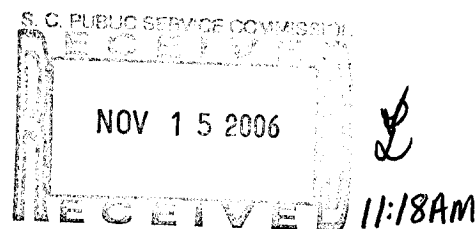
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Charles L.A. Terreni, Esquire
Chief Clerk/Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100
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Re: Application of Utilities Services of South Carolina, Incorporated for Adjustment of Rates and Charges and Modifications to Certain Terms and Conditions for the Provision of Water and Sewer Service
Docket No. 2005-217-WS

Dear Mr. Terreni:

On October 13, 2006, the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("the Commission") issued Order No. 2006-603 wherein it requested the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") contact bulk water suppliers who service Utility Services of South Carolina, Inc. ("USSC"). Specifically, the Commission requested that ORS contact bulk water suppliers about the feasibility of providing notice greater than one billing cycle of any pending rate increase to USSC. ORS does not regulate bulk water suppliers, but ORS understands that such notice would provide a time-frame which would allow USSC to forward notice of the increase to its customers. In accordance with the Commission's request, ORS mailed correspondence to each bulk water supplier who services USSC on November 14, 2006 requesting cooperation with such notice.

Sincerely,

Wendy B. Cartledge
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cc: John M.S. Hoefer, Esquire

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